

The background of the slide is a composite image of space exploration. It features a large, dark, cratered celestial body (likely the Moon) in the upper right, a smaller reddish-brown planet (Mars) in the upper right corner, and a large, irregularly shaped rock (an asteroid) in the lower right. In the foreground, several small satellites with solar panels are shown in orbit around Earth, which is visible as a blue and white curved horizon at the bottom. An American flag is draped over a dark, rocky surface in the lower left. The overall scene is set against a black background filled with stars.

NASA IV&V Space Flight Design Challenge

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Mission: OC-Flight-1
First Flight: Summer 2012
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Leading Innovations in IV&V and Systems and Software Engineering



- Multiple spacecraft & SWARM Behaviors
- Autonomous software controls
- Autonomous verification
- Intelligent Fault Management
- Reconfigurable FPGAS
- Orbital debris removal
- Structure less systems
- Deployable apertures & grappling devices

